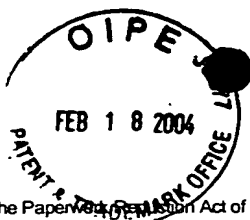


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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action mailed December 3, 2003 (Paper No. 5),
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on
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Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include an
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